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Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1)

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for replying to the outstanding Office Action be extended two months from March 23, 2004 to May 24, 2004 (May 23, 2004 being a Sunday) by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)) is believed to be \$420.00 for a two month extension for a large entity. Fee payment is provided in our accompanying PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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PTO/SB/17 (10-03) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0032 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DePARTMENT OF COMMERCE erwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known **TRANSMITTAL** 10/005,842 **Application Number** Filing Date December 7, 2001 for FY 2004 First Named Inventor Jian NI Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision. **Examiner Name** Kaufman, Claire M. Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Art Unit 1646 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 700.00 1488.131000A/EKS/EJH (\$) Attorney Docket No FEE CALCULATION (continued) METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Money X Other\*\* 3. ADDITIONAL FEES Check X Credit card Order \*Charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments in Deposit Account: the fees to Deposit Acct. No. 10-000 Large Entity | Small Entity the fees to Deposit Acct. No. 19-0036. Fee -ee Fee Description Deposit Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid 19-0036 Account 1051 130 2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath Number Deposit Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or 1052 50 2052 Sterne Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C. Account cover sheet Name 1053 Non-English specification 1053 130 130 The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply) 1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination 1812 2.520 Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments Requesting publication of SIR prior to 1804 920 1804 9201 Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s) Examiner action Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Requesting publication of SIR after 1805 1.8401 1805 1.8401 Examiner action to the above-identified deposit account. 2251 Extension for reply within first month 1251 110 55 **FEE CALCULATION** 420.00 Extension for reply within second month 1252 420 2252 210 1. BASIC FILING FEE 1253 950 2253 Extension for reply within third month 475 .arge Entity **Small Entity** Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Fee Fee Fee Fee Code (\$) 1254 1,480 2254 740 Extension for reply within fourth month Code (\$) Extension for reply within fifth month 1255 2,010 2255 1,005 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 1401 330 2401 2002 170 Design filing fee Notice of Appeal 1002 340 330 1402 2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal 1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee 1403 290 2403 Request for oral hearing 2004 385 Reissue filing fee 1004 770 1451 1,510 1451 1.510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding 1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee 1452 110 2452 Petition to revive - unavoidable SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0.001453 1,330 2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE 1501 1,330 2501 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue) Fee from Fee Paid Extra Claims 1502 480 2502 below 240 Design issue fee **Total Claims** 108.00 1503 640 2503 320 Plant issue fee 1.17(a) losure Stmt nent per erties) eiection

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